

**Table S-1. Number of 1993 science and engineering bachelor's degree recipients,  
by primary status, median salary, and field of degree: April 1995**

Major field	Total recipients	Primary education and employment status				Median salary for full-time employed 1/
		Full-time student	Not full-time student			
			Employed in science and engineering	Employed in other occupation	Not employed & not full-time student	
All science and engineering fields.....	348,900	82,000	67,900	180,700	18,300	\$26,000
Major type						
Total science.....	290,500	74,500	30,800	168,800	16,300	24,000
Total engineering.....	58,400	7,500	37,100	11,900	2,000	35,000
Major field						
Computer and mathematical sciences, total.....	35,200	4,000	12,200	17,800	1,200	30,000
Computer science and information sciences.....	18,700	S	9,400	8,100	S	34,000
Mathematics and related sciences.....	16,500	3,300	2,700	9,700	S	26,000
Life and related sciences, total.....	58,600	22,500	5,200	28,500	2,300	23,500
Agricultural and food sciences.....	6,200	800	S	4,500	S	24,000
Biological sciences.....	50,000	21,400	4,100	22,600	S	23,500
Environmental life sciences including forestry science.....	2,500	S	S	1,400	S	25,000
Physical and related sciences, total.....	16,500	6,600	5,000	4,500	S	27,000
Chemistry, except biochemistry.....	8,600	4,000	2,600	1,800	S	30,000
Earth sciences, geology, and oceanography.....	3,900	1,000	1,500	1,400	S	25,000
Physics and astronomy.....	3,900	1,600	1,000	1,300	S	27,000
Other physical sciences.....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Social and related sciences, total.....	180,200	41,400	8,400	118,000	12,400	22,300
Economics.....	21,800	3,600	2,000	15,200	S	28,000
Political science and related sciences.....	44,700	13,500	S	27,000	2,800	24,000
Psychology.....	65,300	16,100	3,300	40,700	5,300	21,000
Sociology and anthropology.....	28,600	4,500	S	21,200	1,800	20,000
Other social sciences.....	19,800	3,600	S	13,900	1,600	23,000
Engineering, total.....	58,400	7,500	37,100	11,900	2,000	35,000
Aerospace and related engineering.....	2,300	500	1,100	700	S	30,000
Chemical engineering.....	4,300	700	2,800	700	S	37,500
Civil and architectural engineering.....	8,600	800	6,300	1,300	S	32,000
Electrical, electronic, computer and communications engineering.....	20,000	2,100	12,600	4,500	S	36,000
Industrial engineering.....	3,300	300	2,000	900	S	35,000
Mechanical engineering.....	13,900	1,600	9,300	2,400	S	35,000
Other engineering.....	6,100	1,500	3,100	1,300	S	33,000

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**NOTE:** Details may not add to totals because of rounding.

**SOURCE:** National Science Foundation/SRS, National Survey of Recent College Graduates, 1995

**Table S-2. Number of 1993 science and engineering bachelor's degree recipients,  
by primary status, median salary, sex, and field of degree: April 1995**

Major field	Total recipients	Primary education and employment status				Median salary for full-time employed 1/
		Full-time student	Not full-time student			
			Employed in science and engineering	Employed in other occupation	Not employed & not full-time student	
All science and engineering fields.....	348,900	82,000	67,900	180,700	18,300	\$26,000
Total science						
Male.....	137,600	35,200	18,400	78,800	5,200	25,000
Female.....	152,900	39,300	12,500	90,000	11,100	22,000
Computer and mathematical sciences						
Male.....	23,500	2,400	9,400	11,000	S	32,000
Female.....	11,700	1,600	2,800	6,800	S	25,000
Life and related sciences						
Male.....	28,100	11,100	2,500	13,900	S	23,500
Female.....	30,500	11,400	2,800	14,600	1,700	23,700
Physical and related sciences						
Male.....	10,700	4,000	3,200	3,200	S	27,000
Female.....	5,900	2,600	1,800	1,300	S	28,000
Social and related sciences						
Male.....	75,300	17,600	3,200	50,700	3,800	24,300
Female.....	104,800	23,700	5,200	67,300	8,600	21,500
Total engineering						
Male.....	48,700	6,200	30,600	10,300	1,700	35,000
Female.....	9,700	1,300	6,500	1,500	400	36,000
Aerospace and related engineering						
Male.....	2,100	500	1,000	600	S	30,000
Female.....	300	S	S	S	S	S
Chemical engineering						
Male.....	2,700	500	1,600	400	S	37,000
Female.....	1,600	S	1,100	S	S	40,000
Civil and architectural engineering						
Male.....	7,000	S	4,900	1,300	S	32,000
Female.....	1,600	S	1,400	S	S	32,000
Electrical, electronic, computer and communications engineering						
Male.....	17,500	1,900	11,100	3,900	S	36,000
Female.....	2,500	S	1,500	S	S	36,000
Industrial engineering						
Male.....	2,300	S	1,400	600	S	35,000
Female.....	1,000	S	600	S	S	35,000
Mechanical engineering						
Male.....	12,200	1,400	8,100	2,200	S	35,000
Female.....	1,600	S	1,100	S	S	36,000
Other engineering						
Male.....	5,000	1,100	2,400	1,200	S	32,000
Female.....	1,100	S	600	S	S	35,000

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**Table S-3. Number of 1993 science and engineering bachelor's degree recipients, by primary status, median salary, race/ethnicity, and field of degree: April 1995**

Major field	Total recipients	Primary education and employment status				Median salary for full-time employed 1/
		Full-time student	Not full-time student			
			Employed in science and engineering	Employed in other occupation	Not employed & not full-time student	
All science and engineering fields.....	348,900	82,000	67,900	180,700	18,300	\$26,000
Total science						
White, non-Hispanic.....	237,100	60,200	24,900	139,500	12,400	24,000
Black, non-Hispanic.....	17,700	4,200	1,500	10,700	1,300	22,000
Hispanic.....	15,400	3,700	1,300	9,000	1,300	23,000
Asian or Pacific Islander.....	18,700	6,000	2,800	8,700	S	28,000
American Indian/Alaskan Native.....	1,600	400	200	900	100	27,000
Computer and mathematical sciences						
White, non-Hispanic.....	28,500	3,300	9,600	14,900	S	30,000
Black, non-Hispanic.....	2,300	S	600	1,200	S	28,000
Hispanic.....	1,100	S	S	S	S	30,000
Asian or Pacific Islander.....	3,100	S	S	S	S	32,000
American Indian/Alaskan Native.....	100	S	S	S	S	S
Life and related sciences						
White, non-Hispanic.....	46,600	17,300	3,700	23,700	1,900	23,000
Black, non-Hispanic.....	2,700	1,300	S	1,300	S	23,500
Hispanic.....	3,000	900	S	1,200	S	23,000
Asian or Pacific Islander.....	5,900	3,000	S	S	S	S
American Indian/Alaskan Native.....	400	S	S	200	S	29,000
Physical and related sciences						
White, non-Hispanic.....	14,100	5,300	4,600	3,900	S	27,000
Black, non-Hispanic.....	700	300	S	S	S	24,400
Hispanic.....	600	S	S	S	S	S
Asian or Pacific Islander.....	1,000	S	S	S	S	S
American Indian/Alaskan Native.....	S	S	S	S	S	S
Social and related sciences						
White, non-Hispanic.....	147,900	34,400	7,100	96,900	9,600	22,000
Black, non-Hispanic.....	12,000	2,300	S	8,100	1,100	21,000
Hispanic.....	10,700	2,300	S	7,100	1,000	23,000
Asian or Pacific Islander.....	8,600	2,200	S	5,300	S	25,000
American Indian/Alaskan Native.....	1,000	200	S	600	S	24,000
Total engineering						
White, non-Hispanic.....	45,500	5,000	30,200	8,800	1,500	35,000
Black, non-Hispanic.....	2,100	300	1,200	400	S	35,000
Hispanic.....	2,800	400	1,700	600	S	33,600
Asian or Pacific Islander.....	7,800	1,800	3,700	2,000	S	35,000
American Indian/Alaskan Native.....	200	S	200	S	S	36,000

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